

ESEA/NCLB CONSOLIDATED E-GRANT APPLICATION MODIFICATIONS 2013-2014



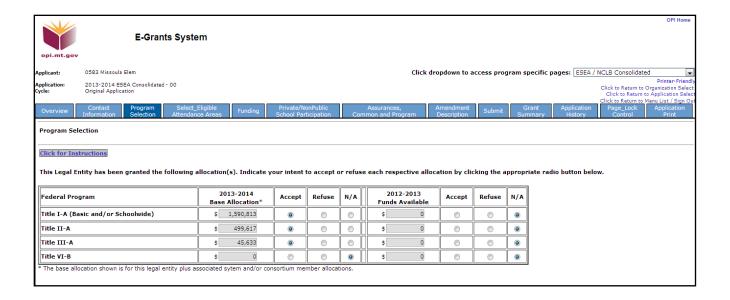
Modifications Effective FY 2013-2014 and Beyond.

Program Selection Page & Refusal of Funds. The Consolidated level of the application now begins with a <u>Program Selection</u> page. This dynamic page allows the user to select individual Title programs as appropriate to the needs of the district.

- o To accept funds for a specific program, click the radio button within the *Accept* column.
- o To refuse funds for a specific program, click the radio button within the *Refuse* column.
- o Programs without an allocation are to be marked N/A.
- o Carryover funds will appear in the prior year *Funds Available* column and may be accepted or refused.

Selections made on this page will populate throughout the application. When funds are accepted for a specific program, the <u>Program Detail</u> and <u>Budget Detail</u> pages for that program will appear active to the user. When funds are refused, the <u>Program Detail</u> and <u>Budget Detail</u> pages are disabled. The user must return to the <u>Program Selection</u> page and accept the funds to edit those pages.

Figure 1. Program Selection page displaying imported allocations and accepted funds.

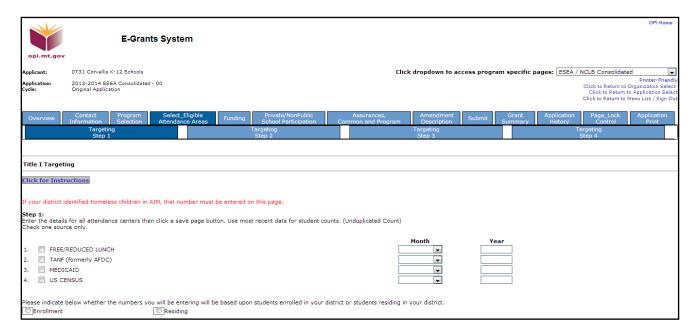




Targeting Step Pages Migration from Title I-A Basic Level to Consolidated Level.

The Targeting Step pages, previously located within the Program Detail level of the Title I-A Basic application, have been relocated to the Consolidated level of the application. These pages have been renamed *Select Eligible Attendance Areas* and directly succeed the <u>Program Selection page</u>. Please refer to the <u>Instructions</u> located in the upper left-hand corner each individual page for further instructions on completing Targeting Steps 1-4.

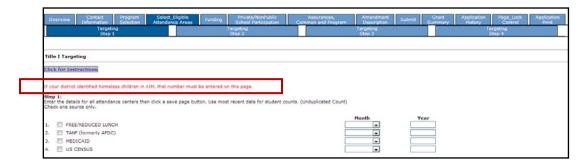
Figure 2. Select_Eligible Attendance Areas page.



Homeless Set-Asides and the Targeting Step Pages. To better assist districts in accurately identifying homeless children and youth, users will now see red warning text at the top of Targeting Step 1. This statement reads: "If your district identified homeless children in AIM, that number must be entered on this page." This message does not affect the user's ability to submit the application

- o If the district then lists children on Targeting Step 1 and is in a non-Title I or non-served school, the system will now require a Homeless Set-Aside on Targeting Step 4.
- o If all of the children are located in a Title I school, then the set-aside is not triggered given that there are homeless children in either non-eligible schools or eligible not-participating schools.

Figure 3. Please note the message below.



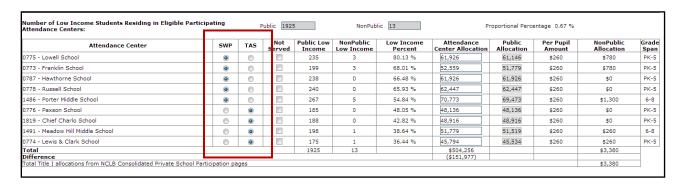


Title I Targeted Assistance School (TAS) and Schoolwide Program (SWP) Designation Rollover.

All ESEA Consolidated applications will now allow the previous year TAS and SWP designations on Targeting Step 4 to roll forward into the next year's application, with the ability to change designations by checking and unchecking radio buttons.

- o For new schools, the attendance center's radio button will appear blank.
- For closing schools, the attendance center will disappear from the list.

Figure 4. The designations in two columns identified below will now roll over from the previous year.



Modifications Affecting All Prior Years

Colored Tabs per Application Program Member. Each level of the application will now display different colored tabs for each Title program in the ESEA Application. The colored tabs will also be visible in prior year applications and amendments.

Figure 5. Title 1-A Basic

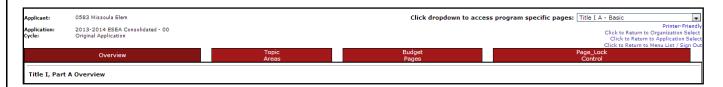
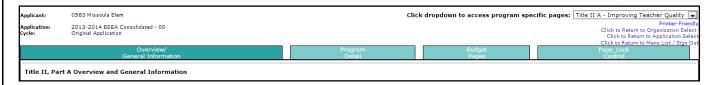


Figure 6. Title II-A, Improving Teacher Quality



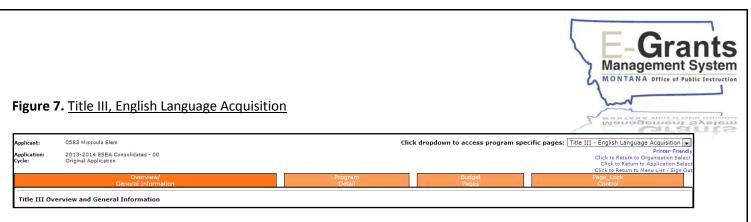
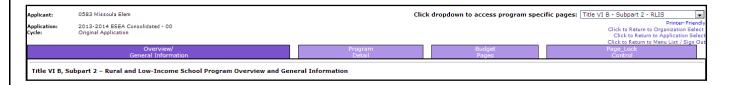


Figure 8. Title VI-B, Rural and Low-Income Schools



Title I Targeting Step 4 Modifications. To more accurately reflect district set-asides, the set-aside categories listed on Targeting Step 4 now also include separate fields for K-12, Elementary, and High School (where applicable). Set-aside fields have also been separated into subgroupings for easier viewing.

Figure 9. Please view this image for a full list of set-aside changes on Targeting Step 4.

